



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
United States Patent and Trademark Office
Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450
www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
10/615,072	07/08/2003	Frank B. Simpson	1090	7876
7590	04/04/2006		EXAMINER	
Donald J. Ersler 725 Garvens Avenue Brookfield, WI 53005			SOOHOO, TONY GLEN	
			ART UNIT	PAPER NUMBER
			1723	
			DATE MAILED: 04/04/2006	

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

Response to Rule 312 Communication	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	10/615,072	SIMPSON, FRANK B.	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Tony G. Soohoo	1723	

-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address --

1. The amendment filed on 14 March 2006 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

- a) entered.
- b) entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
- c) disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.
Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.
- d) disapproved. See explanation below.
- e) entered in part. See explanation below.

The amendment to correct drawing objections as required by PTO 948 by the PTO Draftsperson, and corresponding correction the specification text is directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.



TONY G. SOOHOO
PRIMARY EXAMINER Tony G Soohoo
 Primary Examiner
 Art Unit: 1723